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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Kirk Hogan  
Serial No.: 09/976,423  
Filed: 10/12/01  
Entitled: **Methods and Compositions for Perioperative Genomic Profiling**

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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